Course Outline STA452H1

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ref./text:

Brenner, D. : FROM THE PRIVATE NOTE BOOK OF Illustrated adventures in very (very) mathematical stochastic modelling & statistical inference, 2004-21

Ash, R.B. : REAL ANALYSIS & PROBABILITY (1972)

Chung, K.L :

A COURSE IN PROBABILITY THEORY (1968, 1974)

Halmos, P. :

MEASURE THEORY (1950)

topics:

- caution: all contents subject to shuffling, merging, expansion & (really serious) modification
- the multivariate distributions of common statistical practice
- probability, expectation & the LLN
- stochastic convergence: weak, strong and otherwise
- the general linear model: correlation & regression, conditional expectation & bayes' theorem
- characteristic functions, rotational invariance & the cràmer-wold device
- order statistics & permutation invariance

grading (G):

test 1 $(T_1) = 30$ – Wed. Oct. 20 test 2 $(T_2) = 30$ – Wed. Nov. 17 final (F) = 40 – Dec. 10-21

$$G = T + F$$

(NOTE: tests $T_1 \& T_2$ during class time.)